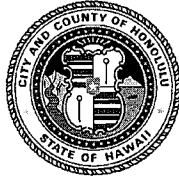


**MAYOR'S OFFICE OF CULTURE AND THE ARTS  
CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU**

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November 23, 2015

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The Honorable Ernest Y. Martin  
Chair and Presiding Officer  
and Members  
Honolulu City Council  
530 South King Street, Room 202  
Honolulu, Hawaii 96813

Dear Chair Martin and Councilmembers:

SUBJECT: Request for Council Acceptance of a Gift to the City

We respectfully request acceptance by the Council on behalf of the City and County of Honolulu of a gift to the City from the Friends of the Gandhi Statue in Waikiki, LLC. The gift consists of treatment services and three bronze plaques for the "Mohandas K. Gandhi" sculpture (Object Identification number 1989.10.) This request is made under the provisions of Resolution No. 05-349, CD1, FD1.

The Commission on Culture and the Arts, at its November 19, 2015 meeting, determined the acceptability of this gift and recommends the City Council accept these works of art as a gift to the City. The gift is valued at \$18,000.00. We attach a proposed resolution for the favorable action of the Council.

Please contact me at 768-6622 if you have any questions regarding this request.

Sincerely,

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Misty Kela'i  
Executive Director

Attachment

APPROVED:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Roy K. Amemiya, Jr.".

Roy K. Amemiya, Jr.  
Managing Director



## RESOLUTION

RELATING TO THE ACCEPTANCE OF A GIFT FROM THE FRIENDS OF THE GANDHI STATUE IN WAIKIKI, LLC TO THE CITY FOR THE ART IN CITY BUILDINGS COLLECTION OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF HONOLULU MANAGED BY THE MAYOR'S OFFICE OF CULTURE AND THE ARTS.

WHEREAS, the Friends of the Gandhi Statue in Waikiki, LLC wishes to gift treatment services and three bronze plaques for the sculpture "Mohandas K. Gandhi" (Object Identification Number 1989.10); and

WHEREAS, the sculpture titled "Mohandas K. Gandhi" was completed in 1989 by Stephen C. Lowe and gifted to the City in 1989 from the Gandhi Memorial International Foundation and is credited as a gift from the Gandhi Memorial International Foundation and the Jhamandas Watumull Fund and is located in Kapiolani Park near the intersection of Kalakaua Avenue and Kapahulu Avenue; and

WHEREAS, the gifted treatment services to the "Mohandas K. Gandhi" sculpture by the Friends of the Gandhi Statue in Waikiki, LLC will include repatination of the bronze sculpture by Kim Duffett; and

WHEREAS, approval from the original artist, Stephen C. Lowe, has been obtained by the Friends of the Gandhi Statue in Waikiki, LLC to repatinate the bronze sculpture via a letter dated June 27, 2015 and therefore complies with the Visual Artist Copyright Law; and

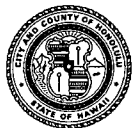
WHEREAS, the Friends of the Gandhi Statue in Waikiki, LLC will fabricate and install three bronze plaques on the existing pedestal of the "Mohandas K. Gandhi" sculpture which will depict Gandhi's story and message of peace; and

WHEREAS, the Commission on Culture and the Arts approved to respectfully request the acceptance of this gift by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu at their meeting on November 19, 2015; and

WHEREAS, Section 13-113 of the Revised Charter of the City and County of Honolulu provides for the acceptance of gifts given to City executive agencies; and

WHEREAS, the policy provides for acceptance of the gift by affirmative action by the Council; and

WHEREAS, through a letter from the Executive Director of the Mayor's Office of Culture and the Arts, a request has been submitted to the Council of this gift valued at \$18,000.00 for the Art in City Buildings collection; and



## RESOLUTION

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WHEREAS, the description and value of the gift are set forth in the Declaration of Gift attached hereto as Exhibit A and incorporated herein; now therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED by the Council of the City and County of Honolulu that this body accept the gift valued at \$18,000.00 from the Friends of the Gandhi Statue Waikiki, LLC; and

BE IT FINALLY RESOLVED that the Clerk is directed to transmit a certified copy of this Resolution to the Registrar of the Mayor's Office of Culture and the Arts, 550 South King Street, Room 203, Honolulu, Hawaii 96813; Kim Duffett, President, Friends of the Gandhi Statue in Waikiki, LLC, 4189 Koko Drive, Honolulu, Hawaii 96816.

INTRODUCED BY:

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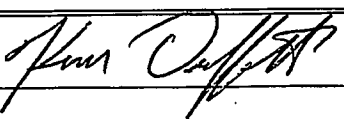
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Honolulu, Hawaii

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Councilmembers

## City and County of Honolulu

| DECLARATION OF GIFT  |  |
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| NAME OF DONOR  | Friends of the Gandhi Statue in Waikiki, LLC |
| DONOR'S ADDRESS  | 4189 Koko Drive<br>Honolulu, Hawaii 96816    |
| DONOR'S TELEPHONE  | 818-737-8852                                 |
| STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP AND/OR TERMS OF CONVEYANCE  |  |
| <p>I own the item described below and desire to give the property to the City and County of Honolulu. To carry out my purpose, I do hereby absolutely and without condition or reservation give, grant and convey the property to the City and County of Honolulu.</p> |  |
| DESCRIPTION OF GIFT  | VALUE  |
| <p>Repatriation of the sculpture titled "Mohandas K. Gandhi" (object identification number 1989.10) by artist Stephen C. Lowe, completed in 1989, located in Kapiolani Park. The repatriation will be performed by Kim Duffett.</p>                                    | \$10,000.00                                  |
| <p>Three bronze plaques depicting Mohandas Gandhi's story and message of peace.</p>  | \$8,000.00                                   |
|  | <p><u>Total</u><br/>\$18,000</p>             |
| Signature:    | Date: OCTOBER 14, 2015                       |
| Print Name: Kim Duffett  | Title: President                             |